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LOCATOR AND CLOSURE DEVICE

AND METHOD OF USE

SUBMITTED VIA EFS

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

Applicant submits this response to the Office Action mailed July 9, 2010. Applicant submits that this response is timely as it is being mailed by the 3 month deadline. The Commissioner is authorized to credit or debit any surcharges or underpayments to Deposit Account 04-0822.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the claim listing that begins on page 2. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.